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COMING EVENTS	10100 D.H. 4014 D0	MIIWAUKIE, OK	DIST.
Jan. 13 Merrill Rec Hall Jan. 14 Lowell Grange Jan. 14 Community Bldg at Dougla Jan. 14 Senior Citizens Bldg. Jan. 21 Senior Citizens Bldg. Feb. 11 Grange Hall Feb. 17 Coquille Community Bldg. Mar. 11 Moose Hall		Merrill, OR Lowell, OR Roseburg, OR Salem, OR Gresham, OR McMinnville, OR Coquille, OR Cottage Grove, OR	1 6 4 8 7 8 5

OLD-TIME FIDDLING EXHIBIT will be shown at the State Capitol in Salem from Dec. 2 thru Jan. 31, 1979; from there it will go to the Watcom Museum of History & Art in Bellingham, WA from Feb. 16 thru Mar. 31, 1979. The next showing will be at the Lane Community College in Eugene from April 10 to 20th. Thanks Linda Danielson for letting us know the whereabouts of this fine exhibit. A great job you have done and we all thank you.

DISTRICT 1:

PRESIDENT-----LEROY SIMS

Our next meeting will be Jan. 13, 1979 at the Merrill Recreation Hall in Merrill, OR. Potluck will be at 6:30 PM, open to the public at 8:00 PM.

We played at the nursing homes this month and at our regular jam session. Our Christmas party was dedicated to L.D. Daniel's memory. A good turnout and fun was enjoyed by all.

June Sandusky, Reporter

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DISTRICT 4:

There will be a jam session at the Douglas County Fairgrounds on January 14th. Doors open at 10:00 AM, potluck at 11:30 and doors open to the public at 1:00 PM. There will be a party at the I.W.A. Union hall for all fiddlers and their friends on Saturday the 13th in the evening. The hall is located behind the Montgomery Wards store in Roseburg. Bring snacks if you would like to, the coffee will be furnished. Also camping will be available for self-contained trailers and campers at the fairgrounds.

Marion Enlow, Co-Chairman

DISTRICT 5:

Once again time has rolled around to get the news in for District #5. On Dec. 9th we held our Christmas party in Bandon at the V.F.W. hall. There was lots of good food, great music and a good time was had by all. Thanks to all of you that helped make it a great party.

Our next business meeting and jam session will be held Sat. Feb. 17th, 1979 at the Coquille Community Building. Doors will be open at 1 PM, meeting at 2 PM. Potluck at 5 PM with jam session open to the public at 7 PM. Hoping that as many members as possible will attend as this will be our election of officers for the New Year.

Les and I did not mail out any Christmas cards, but do hope that everyone had a happy holiday season.

Barbara McLeod, Reporter

DISTRICT 6:

District 6 held their election of officers on Dec. 17th with a good turnout of fiddlers and friends, in spite of the weather and other circumstances. Our new officers are: Chairman - Jerry Kinnaman, Co-Chairman - Walter "Slim" Schultz and Sec-Treas. - Adele Stewart. The 14th of January will be our next jam session at the Lowell grange in Lowell, OR., with doors open at 10:00 AM -Potluck at noon and open to the public at 1:00 PM.

Jerry Kinnaman, Reporter

DISTRICT 7:

Our Christmas party was a very enjoyable affair. We owe thanks to the people who helped to make it- So a big thankyou to Bob Fast who took over and handled the MC and hauling the PA set and setting it up. To his wife Dulcie for cooking the turkey and dressing. To Herman & Mary Classin for cooking one turkey and Kathy Eades for cooking the ham and other things that they all did, and a big thanks to the ladies who helped in the kitchen.

Ed and I were sorry we were unable to handle it, but thankful that we could be there a short while. Our next jam session will be held Jan. 21 at the Senior Citizen Center in Gresham. There will be no potluck but the election of officers will be held then. Doors open at 11 O'clock. Meeting at 11:30.

I'd like to thank all you lovely people for your kindness to me through Ed's illness. The ones who came to the hospital and helped me through the dark hours and I'd like to thank Cleta & Chet Haven for taking me to the hospital during the blizzard and also Bob and Dulcie. Bob and I played our music for the patients on Ed's floor. We had nurses and doctors dancing in Ed's room and it brought a smile to many faces. Thankyou all.

Reporter, Penny Mead

DISTRICT 8:

We had a successful Christmas party. We want to thank everyone who helped. Our next jam session will be Jan. 14th, 1979 at the Senior Citizen Center which is located next to the Salem Medical Clinic on the corner of Exion 1000 N.E. and Capitol St. N.E., Salem, OR.

Doors will open at 10 O'clock, lunch at 12 O'clock noon. Show for the public at 1 O'clock. Bring salads, finger foods and desserts, the fiddlers will furnish turkey sandwiches until the turkey is gone. Bring your own service.

On Feb. 11th at McMinnville Grange Hall will be the Feb. jam session also business meeting and election of officers. Other directions in next Hoedowner.

Want to thank Shorty Allen and his group that played for the Sheridan Bank of Oregon opening. The Bank of Oregon donated a check for the Fiddlers Association.

Dist. 8 Reporter,
Jeanette Robinson